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APPLICANTS: Franz et al.  
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THROUGH ITERATIVE ANALYSIS  
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**AMENDMENT B**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2007.

Applicants hereby request reconsideration as set forth below.